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AMENDMENT C

Mail Stop AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is Amendment C responsive to a FINAL Office Action mailed August 30, 2005 with a three-month response interval, and a follow-up Advisory Action mailed November 30, 2005. Please make the following amendments to the above-identified application. A Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time and the necessary fee are currently filed herewith.